Gainesville Daily Sun

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SHOTS FIRED INTO IMPERIAL PALACE

During Ceremony of Blessing Water By The Czar.

INCIDENT UNMOVED EMPEROR

Hole Two Inches in Diameter Cut Through Double Windows and Electric Lights Were Smashed—Investigation Immediately Begun.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 20.—During the annnual ceremony of blessing the waters in front of the winter palace by Emperor Nicholas this morning, several shots were fired from across the Neva, and bullets entered the windows of the palace.

No one was hurt, but the incident caused considerable alarm. One bullet cut a clean hole two inches in diameter through the double upper windows of Nicholas' Hall immediately above a window from which a group of correspondents and officers were viewing th eceremony. Electric lamps on the opposite side of the hall were smashed and fell on the floor with a clatter. An officer picked up the bullet which was of iron and resembled a shrapnel ball.

The imperial procession soon afterward re-entered the palace. The emperor had been already informed of the occurrence, and as the procession passed, an officer pointed out the holes in the windows. The emperor was quite unmoved, and hardly glanced at the place indicated.

The grand duke Valdimir, eldest uncle of the czar, immediately opened an investigation and interrogated the witnesses.

Groups of ladies of honor who came in with the procession gathered in the hall to gaze at the tell-tale hole and listen to details of the incident.

When the correspondent of the Associated Press who was about to go down to the White salon (when one of the missiles flew right over his head) left the palace he saw a hole in the window of another salon and holes outside in the stucco of the massive red building. The police are actively at work trying to clear up the mystery as to where the shots came from.

The strike situation has not been changed by this holiday. The men are holding meetings in various parts of the city and a test is expected tomorrow when the employers will make a final answer to their demands. While no collisions have yet been reported, there is a feeling among all classes of high tension. The news that an attempt has been made on the emperor's life spread like wild fire during the afternoon leading to all sorts of versions and generally increasing the tension.

DISGUISED AS CHINAMEN.

Believed Chinamen Are Accompanying Czar's Raiders.

Tokio, Jan. 19.—2:30 p. m.—It is believed here that the Chinese reported to be accompanying the Lieutenant General Mistchenko's raiders are either uniformed bandits of soldiers who had been impressed as guides. It is not believed that Chinese regulars have been authorized to join the raiders.

The report that Russian troops are disguised as Chinese is regarded much more seriously, and it is under further investigation.

It is considered probable that Major General Ijichi, General Nogi's chief of staff, will be appointed commander of Port Arthur.

The Japanese captured the British steamer Oakley in the Soshima straits Wednesday afternoon. The vessel left Cardiff on Nov. 17, carrying 5,900 tons of coal for Vladivostok. She was brought to Sasebo.

Treasurer Peabody Sick.

New York, Jan. 20.—George Foster Peabody, banker and treasurer of the Democratic national committee, is reported to have broken down physically and is now at his farm in northern New York. He is not seriously ill, it is stated, but the physicians have ordered him to take a long rest and a change of scene.

OPERATIVES RETURN TO WORK.

Peace at Fall River After the Six Months' Strike.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 20.—The thousands of operatives who have been idle for nearly six months as the result of the great textile strike returned work today. Every mill in the city was brilliantly lighted at 6 o'clock, the opening hour, and the streets in the mill section of the city were thronged. All the operatives appeared confident that conditions would be greatly improved as the result of the agreement yesterday between the manufacturers and the union leaders through the efforts of Governor Douglas. Although the 12½ per cent reduction on account of which the strike was inaugurated went into effect with the returning strikers today, the feeling seemed general that the governor's arbitration of the question margin of profit for the manufacturers between the price of raw material and that of finished goods, would bring about a higher scale of wages in the near future.

Many will wait until Monday before going to work, preferring to start in at the beginning of a new week, but today marked the real end of the textile troubles, and filled with rejoicing not only to operatives and employes, but to the business men of the city who have suffered great loss as the result of the strike.

DISCHARGED FROM ASYLUM.

Tobacco King's Freedom Result of Habeas Corpus Proceedings.

New York, Jan. 20.—Brodie L. Duke, the half brother of the American Tobacco company man, who has been kept in a sanitarium following his marriage to Alice Webb, was brought into the supreme court in Brooklyn today and discharged from custody after appearing before Justice Gaynor. The action was the result of habeas corpus proceedings brought by William G. Branham, Duke's private secretary, who alleged that Mr. Duke was deprived of his liberty without his consent and without due process of law. After a brief argument, Justice Gaynor declared that Duke was not demented and ordered that he be given his liberty.

Mrs. Duke was not present at the hearing, and her whereabouts is unknown.

Papers calling for her arrest and removal to Texas are said to be on the way to this city.

DISCLOSED MILITARY SECRETS.

Native of Portuguese Publicly Tried on Serious Charge.

Yokohama, Jan. 20.—H. B. Collins, a man of Portuguese blood, but who has long been a resident of Japan, was publicly tried today on the charge of disclosing military secrets.

The evidence shows that Collins visited Port Arthur and Tien Tsin last year and received a thousand yen from Generals Ogorindinkoff and Dessino, together with a private cipher that he might transmit information.

Last October Collins wrote from Yokohama, detailing the proposed dispatch of Japanese troops, giving their number, their destination and their purpose to General Dessino, but the letter was stopped at Nagasaki.

The maximum penalty for the offense is six years' imprisonment. The passing of sentence was deferred until the 24th instant.

THREE DEATHS IN ONE DAY.

Mother, Father and Son All Die in Twenty-Four Hours.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Three sudden deaths with 24 hours have occurred in the family of Thomas Meehan, well known in commercial circles in Chicago. Word reached the family that James Meehan, the younger son, had died at Kankakee. A few hours later the mother, Mrs. E. Meehan, was taken ill with heart disease at a railway station here and died after being taken to Mercy hospital. A telegram was received that Thomas Meehan had died in Denver, where he went last week for a vacation. The survivors of the family are three sisters of Thomas Meehan. The news of his death reached the sisters as they were taking the remains of their mother and other brother to the family home.

TRAINMEN MAY GO OUT ON BIG STRIKE

Twelve Thousand Men On Pennsylvania Road Involved.

WILL STOP FREIGHT TRAFFIC

Trainmen Claim that Brakemen Are Compelled to Act as Firemen—Three Divisions of System Will Be Affected by the Strike.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20.—P. H. Morrissey, grand master of the Brotherhood of Railway Men is on his way to this city from Clieveland. He was called here by First Vice Grand Master W. G. Lee, who was unable to reach an agreement with W. W. Atterbury, general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad, regarding the differences between the company and the trainmen.

It is not expected that there will be any further conferences between the board of adjustment of the trainmen's organization and Mr. Atterbury until after the arrival of Mr. Morrissey.

Mr. Lee said this morning that no strike order would be issued before 6 o'clock tonight. He notified Mr. Morrissey that the situation here was critical and it was impossible for him to induce Mr. Atterbury to recede from his position. The board of adjustment and Mr. Lee went into a secret session a few minutes before 10 o'clock.

Mr. Lee and his associates on the board of adjustment went into session today with the opinion that nothing remained for them to do but to name a time when a strike would be declared in the event of the company's further refusal to discontinue compulsory firing, as the company was requested to do by a vote of its men—reported to Mr. Atterbury by Mr. Lee 8,365 to 611.

A strike at this time would be costly to the company and the trainmen alike. The divisions which would be affected by a strike would comprise the three divisions between this city and Pittsburg, including all yard men at Harrisburg, Altoona, Pitcairn and intermediate places, the United Railways of New Jersey divisions between here and Jersey City, and the branches in New Jersey; the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington division between this city and Washington; the division between Baltimore, Sungary and Elmira; the Buffalo and Allegheny division between Buffalo and Pittsburg and the Philadelphia and Erie division between this city and Williamsport.

If the strike is declared, freight traffic might be virtually stopped in the territory described.

Coal traffic might be blocked and the heavy shipments of freight exchanged between the east and west will be tied up between New York, Washington, Pittsburg and Buffalo.

MAN HYPNOTIZED HIMSELF.

Awakened After Five Weeks' Sleep by Electric Current.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 20.—Benjamin Conigisky has just been awakened from a five weeks' trance, having succeeded in hypnotizing himself while studying art and the occult at Washington, D. C.

While in Washington and in connection with his artistic studies, he became infatuated with the occult and actually hypnotized himself. He was found in his room soundly asleep, and as he could not be awakened, his family at Peoria were notified. A brother went on and brought him back.

Since then he has lain in this same mysterious sleep and was only aroused when a battery was applied to his spinal column. One electric rod was applied at the base of the brain and another to the end of the spinal column and the full force of the battery being turned on, the patient awakened and the indications are that he will recover his health.

Advances to Tobacco Growers.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 20.—The state senate passed a bill allowing banks to advance money on tobacco. This bill was introduced as a measure of relief to the tobacco growers, whose crops are tied up in the association organized to wage war on the alleged tobacco trust.

POLICE RAID GAMBLING DENS.

New York Officers Arrest a Number of Men and Women.

New, York, Jan. 20.—Police activity continued through the early hours today in the campaign against gambling houses and illegal resorts. A squad of officers closed in on a suspected house in West Twenty-eighth street and found gambling in progress.

The frightened players shrieked and struggled with the detectives. All were permitted to escape except two men who were charged with conducting the place.

The furnishings were seized.

Earlier in the night an raid was made on two drinking resorts in Twenty-ninth street near Broadway and several wagon loads and habitues were arrested. Two or three "slumming" parties got into the police net and the women members became hysterical over the situation. They were liberated.

Palmists and the like appear also to have fallen under the ban. One woman was arrested after laying two or three policemen low with her fists.

A police matron had given her marked money in return for pretended service.

SELECTING NEW MINISTERS.

President of France Busily Engaged in Forming New Cabinet.

Paris, Jan. 20.—President Loubet has begun consultations with the leaders of the various parliamentary groups concerning the new ministry.

The consultation this morning embraced the heads of four groups of the senate. This afternoon the president will consult with the heads of the given groups of the chamber of deputies. The latter will be represented by the presidents of the groups except the Socialist parliamentary group, which, not having a president, will probably designate M. Jaures as the exponent of Socialist desires.

The selection of the ministry appears to turn more upon policies than individuals. Several groups, including the Socialists, insist on the continuance of the Combes programme.

Including the separation of church and state, an income tax and workingmen's pesions. Other groups insist that the new ministry be not required to pursue the Combes policy.

FATAL COLLISION IN ENGLAND.

Two Passengers and Two Railroad Men Are Killed.

London, Jan. 20.—An alarming collision in which three trains were involved including two Scotch expresses, occurred on the Midland railway near Barnsley today.

Two passengers and two railway men were killed and a score were injured, of which seven were seriously hurt. The accident occurred in a fog, the third train crashing into the wreckage resulting from the first collision. The cars of one of the Scotch expresses burst into flames and was soon ablaze from end to end. There were not many passengers on the train or the casualties must have been far heavier as the impact was so great that the cars were telescoped and splintered into matchwood.

Among the injured is Robert Brough, the artist.

A WAR OF WORDS.

Well Known Georgians Call Each Other Bad Names.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 20.—Hon. Newt. Morris, speaker of the Georgia house of representatives, is out in a caustic reply to the recent letter of Colonel W. W. Osborn, of Savannah.

Mr. Morris calls Colonel Osborn "a malicious and common liar." Colonel Caborn says that Mr. Morris is working for a "common blackguard."

This heated controversy is the result of a series of articles Colonel Osborn is writing in which he claims that the corporate interests have in their power the men who control the legislation of Georgia.

Boy Kills His Own Playmate.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 20.—At Trezevant, Tenn., Frank Bomar, aged 14, was killed by his playmate, Irby Giles, aged 13. They were on their way to school when a quarrel ensued. Bomar was struck on the head with a piece of coal.

SOUTHERN CATTLE IS QUARANTINED

Federal Authorities Issue Very Strict Regulations.

NEWS FROM NATIONAL CAPITAL

Chairman Hepburn Appoints Sub-Committee to Investigate Panama Railroad—President Names an Iowa Man as Attorney General of Porto Rico.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The department of agriculture has issued regulations establishing on Feb. 1 next a federal quarantine against a part of the south and parts of other states to prevent the spread of splenetic or southern fever among cattle.

The quarantine lines are largely the same as last year. The quarantine territory embraces the eastern part of North Carolina, all of South Carolina, Indian Territory, Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana; that part of Virginia below the James river and Running to the northwest corner of Bedford county; all of Georgia but Union, Towns and Rabun counties; of Arkansas except the two northern tiers of counties which are left outside the quarantine lines during February and March, but are placed within the quarantine during the rest of the quarantine period. Part of Tennessee and Oklahoma; most of Texas, except the Panhandle, and the lower par tof California.

The quarantine is declared to be in force until Nov. 1, but this date is subject to change.

The regulations allow cattle in the quarantine district to be shipped north in placarded cars if shipped for slaughter, and placed in quarantined yards on arrival at destination. If the stock is unloaded enroute, it must be at yards reserved solely for southern cattle, and after unloading the cars must be disinfected before used for native stock.

In the House.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The house on convening today fixed Friday, Feb. 17, next as the date for holding exercises accepting the statue of Francis E. Willard, presented by the state of Illinois.

A bill was passed allowing a substitute judge to sit as judge in the district court of the United States in the territory of Hawaii in case of the temporary incapacity of the judge of that court.

Chairman Hepburn, of the house committee on interstate and commerce today named Messrs. Shackelford (Mo.), Lovering (Mass.), Esch (Wis.), Townsend (Mich.), and Adamson (Ga.) as a special sub-committee to investigate the Panama railroad.

In the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Messrs. Knox and Penrose today were the recipients of elaborate floral offerings from admiring constituents, including immense collections of American Beauty roses from the Pennsylvania legislature. A resolution by Mr. Cullom requesting the international prison congress to hold its eighth congress in this city, was adopted.

The president today sent to the senate the nomination of A. G. Stewart, of Iowa, to be atorney general of Porto Rico, also Captain Otto Becker to be paymaster in the army, with rank of major.

Professor Talmage Still on Stand.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Professor Jas. A. Talmage, of the University of Utah, an authority on the doctrine of the Mormon church, was again on the stand today in the Smoot investigation Judge R. W. Taylor, counsel for the protestants, conducted a rigorous cross-examination.

Big Coal Strike In Germany.

Essen, Germany, Jan. 20.—About 207,000 out of 268,000 miners in the Rhine coal fields are now out on strike. The government commissioners are busy taking statements preparatory to the government forming judgment and are giving counsel to both belligerents.

FATAL SHOOTNIG AT ROCHELLE

Jim Henry Sent Two Balls Which Caused Death of His Friend.

HENRY MADE HIS ESCAPE

It is Said by Witnesses That He Shot Paul Robinson in Self-Defense While Robinson Was Advancing Upon Him With An Uplifted Axe.

There was a row at Rochelle Wednesday which cost Paul Robinson his life.

Jim Henry and Paul Robinson, both colored, were employed on the turpentine farm of Holder & Pope. They became involved in a quarrel over a trivial matter, when Robinson, it is said, advanced upon Henry with a turpentine axe. For a few seconds is looked rather hard for Henry, but he kept in retreat, backing, at the same time warning Robinson to keep away or he would kill him. Robinson, mad with fury, did not heed the warning, when Henry pulled a pistol from his pocket and fired twice, both shots taking effect. One of the balls entered the stomach, while the other took effect just under the left arm, passing out through the breast.

Immediately after the shooting Henry made his escape, although witnesses testify that the act was in self-defense and it was not necessary for him to leave, as he could have been vindicated.

The wounded man was taken to his home where he lingered until Friday morning, when death relieved him of his suffering.

Both men had been in the employ of Holder & Pope for some time. They were faithful employes and good workmen, and had been firm friends. The altercation was a surprise to those who knew them best, as they had always been on the most intimate friendly terms.

Henry has not yet been captured, but in the event of his arrest it is said that he would be cleared of the charge of murder.

HONOR TO CADET TAYLOR.

Has Been Appointed to West Point. Compliment East Florida Seminary.

East Florida Seminary feels honored in the fact that Senator Jas. P. Taliaferro has appointed Cadet Captain H. LeRoy Taylor, a student of the college, to a scholarship in West Point Military Academy.

This young man is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Taylor, to whom the compliments of the community are extended. Young Captain Taylor is one of the brightest and most ambitious of the students of the Seminary, and deserves the compliment which has been bestowed upon him.

As an institution East Florida Seminary has turned out a number of prominent men in military, professional and business circles, and this is a new laurel which it is safe to say will reflect credit upon the institution.

KIRBY SMITH BAZAAR.

This Function Was Well Patronized, and a Neat Sum Was Realized.

The bazaar and supper of the Kirby Smith Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, was held in the opera house last night, and as usual with entertainments given under the auspices of this chapter, was a grand success, financially and socially.

The main feature of the menu for the evening was "'possum an' 'tater," and the demand was aqual to the supply. The 'possum was prepared by an old colored woman who understood the business, and was greatly relished by those who had the pleasant privilege of a portion.

Quite a neat sum was realized from this affair and everybody who attended had a big supper and good a time.

Marriage at Antioch.

There was a marriage at Antioch Thursday afternoon, the contracting parties being A. G. Hill and Miss Alice Harris, the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harris.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, and was attended by quite a number of friends of the contracting parties. This couple is well known and popular, and the congratulations of friends are in order.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

PISO'S CURE FOR
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CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS
Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.
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THE TIPPING HABIT.

Some of the Inconsistencies That Punctuate the Evil.

The inconsistencies of tipping are discussed by a noted New York judge in an interview in the New York World. He says: "Did you ever stop to think how queer it is that we tip a man who gives us food and yet never tip the man who gives us drink? We tip the waiter, but who has the nerve or the desire to tip a bartender except by offering him a drink or one of his own cigars? And even that sort of treat is never offered to a bartender who is not also an acquaintance. Yet why should the waiter get a tip when the bartender doesn't? Then, too, we give the barber a ten cent tip with our fifteen cent shave (a tip, by the way, aggregating 66 2-3 per cent of the real purchase), and yet we hand over not one single penny when we buy our fifteen cent cigar. A messenger boy delivers a note some time during the same day it is given him, and he gets a quarter for his speed. But the postman who delivers our regular mail promptly to the very minute gets not a penny except at some such season as Christmas. The cabman who gets a mortgage on your house for carrying you from the Flatiron building to Herald square also expects a circular segment of silver as a reward for not killing you during the trip, but a man who would give a trolley conductor an extra nickel for remembering to stop at the right corner and helping the whole family to alight would be thought crazy. If we must tip, why not be consistent? Why not either stop feeing the waiter, the barber, the messenger boy and the cabman or else begin tipping the conductor, the bartender, the cigar man, the clerk, the newsboy, the 'L' train guard, the grocer, the ash man and a few of the other worthies upon whom we are more or less dependent? If a man from some country where tipping is unknown (if so blissful a bourn exists) should come to Manhattan and ask us to explain our tipping system—its limitations and the reason for these limitations—is there a man in all New York who could give any sort of explanation that would not be an insult to a gorilla's intelligence?"

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

The Business Clergyman.

A young minister was called a few days ago to a church in a thriving eastern city. His predecessor had been a well known preacher whose sermons had attracted large congregations, but whose expressed belief was that the clergyman's single duty was the spiritual welfare of his people. The church had failed to meet current expenses for several years, and its considerable debt was increasing with mechanical regularity. The newcomer was not a wonderful orator, but he had a firm mouth and jaw. Within two years he was at the head of a smoothly running business organization whose departments were handled by men who understood their work and did it, which discounted its bills and reduced its old indebtedness. The church had become a working church.

"The church," he said one day, "is a temporal organization doing an entirely practical work. Business integrity is as necessary to its continuance and definite achievement is as necessary to its advance as in any other temporal organization."

"Your predecessor was right, however," spoke up one of his leading members, with a smile. "He always said the Lord would provide; the Lord did provide you."—Leslie's Monthly Magazine.

Well Posted.

The Boss—I'm afraid you are not qualified for the position. You don't know anything about my business. The Applicant—Don't I, though? I keep company with your typewriter.—Chicago Journal.

Medical.

A Rochelle physician was called to attend a boy who swallowed a couple of pennies. When he returned a friend asked, "How is your patient?" "No change yet," was the reply.—Mount Morris Index.

OLD CHINESE CALENDAR.

The Way Its Errors Were Rectified by a Jesuit Astronomer.

In the old Chinese classic, the records of Yao, we are told that "he bade Hi and Ho reverently to regard the signs and respectfully give the times of men." Hi, Ho and two others of their respective families were ordered to the four points of the compass to determine the equinoxes and solstices. The bird, supposed to be our Cor Hydrae, was to be the star of spring, Antares (Alpha Scorpii) of summer, Beta Aquarii for autumn and the world renowned Pleiades the sign of the winter solstice. "Oh, you Hi and Ho," the old document continues, "all around there are three hundred and sixty and six days! Use the extra moon, order the seasons and perfect the year. Faithfully regulate the hundred offices, and all the works will be perfect." Thus was formed the first Chinese calendar about 2,300 years ago, before the Christian era, and its regulation has always been an object of care and interest to the emperors from Yao down to the present day.

Practically no changes were made in it until the mission of the Jesuits to Peking in the seventeenth century. The help of Mohammedan astronomers had been sought, but they were unable to cope with the difficulties which presented themselves, and the emperor, Kang Hi, was thankful to let the Jesuits take the lead in all astronomical researches. He built them an observatory at Peking, which Father Verbiest fitted up in 1668 in thorough up to date style. The errors of centuries had accumulated in all departments of the science, and the foreigners had a hard task to eliminate them and introduce European improvements without exciting hostility. The accuracy of their calculations soon inspired such confidence that Father Verbiest was appointed president of the mathematical tribunal. He soon turned his attention to the calendar, rectifying the errors, but not making many changes beyond introducing the twelve signs of the zodiac and dividing it into 360 degrees instead of 365¼, as was the old Chinese division. The reformed calendar went into many details, and the calculations were given down to the year 2020 A. D. It was published in thirty-two volumes and called in honor of the emperor the Kang Hi Perpetual Calendar.

The solar and lunar years are both used, and a combination is effected between the two by adding seven extra moons during the period of the lunar cycle—that is, nineteen solar years. The civil year commences with the second new moon after the winter solstice and consists of twelve months or moons, called large or small, according to whether they consist of twenty-nine or thirty days. When an extra moon is to be used a thirteenth month is not added, but one of the months is doubled. The rule that the winter solstice shall be kept in the eleventh moon is never departed from.—Living Church.

Imperfect Indigestion

Means less nutrition and in consequence less vitality. When the liver fails to secrete bile, the blood becomes loaded with bilious properties, the digestion becomes impaired and the bowels constipated. Herbine will rectify this; it gives tone to the stomach, liver and kidneys, strengthens the appetite, clears and improves the complexion, infuses new life and vigor to the whole system. 50 cents a bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Moslem Amenities.

From the earliest times Mohammedan historians, except when in subjection, in describing the death of a Christian, do not say "he died" or "he was killed," but he went to Jahanna." They do not say of a Christian that he was drowned, but they say, "The dog went through water to fire." Not that these elegant phrases are confined to Christians. It is sufficient for a man to be not a Mohammedan to entitle him to "pursue the road to the realms of perdition," or to have his head "struck from his filthy body, so that the world may be gladdened by being cleansed from his polluting existence."

When the army of Islam goes to war with the Sikhs it is called "extermination of the hellish, good for nothing Guru." The faithful, when they die, drink the sharab (which they ought not to do), or sherbet of martyrdom. Sometimes they pluck fruit from the fig tree of immortality. On the contrary, their enemies (may their mouths be crammed with mud) are sent in swarms to hades and the land purified of their existence. The fact is that the religion of Mohammed is a fighting religion. It is meant for conquerors, and for conquerors in the act of conquering.—Saturday Review.

Did you buy your hair at an auction?
At any rate, you seem to be getting rid of it on auction-sale principles: "going, going, g-o-n-e!" Stop the auction with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It checks falling hair, and always restores color to gray hair. Sold for over sixty years. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

FROM GIRLHOOD TO WOMANHOOD

Mothers Should Watch the Development of Their Daughters—Interesting Experiences of Misses Borman and Mills.

Every mother possesses information which is of vital interest to her young daughter.

Too often this is never imparted or is withheld until serious harm has resulted to the growing girl through her ignorance of nature's mysterious and wonderful laws and penalties.

Girls' over-sensitiveness and modesty often puzzle their mothers and baffle physicians, as they so often withhold their confidence from their mothers and conceal the symptoms which ought to be told to their physician at this critical period.

When a girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude; when she is a mystery to herself and friends, her mother should come to her aid, and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will at this time prepare the system for the coming change, and start the menstrual period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities.

Hundreds of letters from young girls and from mothers, expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them, have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., at Lynn, Mass.

Miss Mills has written the two following letters to Mrs. Pinkham, which will be read with interest:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (First Letter.)
"I am but fifteen years of age, am depressed, have dizzy spells, chills, headache and backache, and as I have heard that you can give helpful advice to girls in my condition, I am writing you."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (Second Letter.)
"It is with the feeling of utmost gratitude that I write to you to tell you what your valuable medicine has done for me. When I wrote you in regard to my condition I had consulted several doctors, but they failed to understand my case and I did not receive any benefit from their treatment. I followed your advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now healthy and well, and all the distressing symptoms which I had at that time have disappeared."—Myrtle Mills, Oquawka, Ill.

Miss Matilda Borman writes Mrs. Pinkham as follows:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my monthlies were irregular and painful, and I always had such dreadful headaches.
"But since taking the Compound my headaches have entirely left me, my monthlies are regular, and I am getting strong and well. I am telling all my girl friends what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—Matilda Borman, Farmington, Iowa.

If you know of any young girl who is sick and needs motherly advice, ask her to address Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., and tell her every detail of her symptoms, and to keep nothing back. She will receive advice absolutely free, from a source that has no rival in the experience of woman's ills, and it will, if followed, put her on the right road to a strong, healthy and happy womanhood.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound holds the record for the greatest number of cures of female ills of any medicine that the world has ever known. Why don't you try it?

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Makes Sick Women Well.

City Visitor's Oversight.

Uncle Josh (after seeing urban guest take the train)—That feller may know a heap about city ettyket, but he wouldn't pass fer no Chestyfield in these parts. Uncle Lish—Wouldn't, hey? Uncle Josh—No, sir. W'y, he stayed weth me three days an' never once proposed t' go out an' look at my hawgs.—Judge.

Her Hard Luck.

"I made an awful faux pas last night," said Mrs. Oldcastle.

"Did you?" replied her hostess. "I've been wantin' to make one for a long time, but I ain't been able to get a pattern. Whose did you have?"—Chicago Tribune.

Wholesale Rates.

Sammy (admiringly surveying his lately arrived twin sisters)—Did you get them cheaper by taking the two, papa?

Enthusiasts without capacity are the really dangerous people.—Schopenhauer.

Good Comfort.

The most solid comfort one can fall back upon is the thought that the business of one's life—the work at home after the holiday is done—is to help in some small nibbling way to reduce the sum of ignorance, degradation and misery on the face of this beautiful earth.—George Eliot.

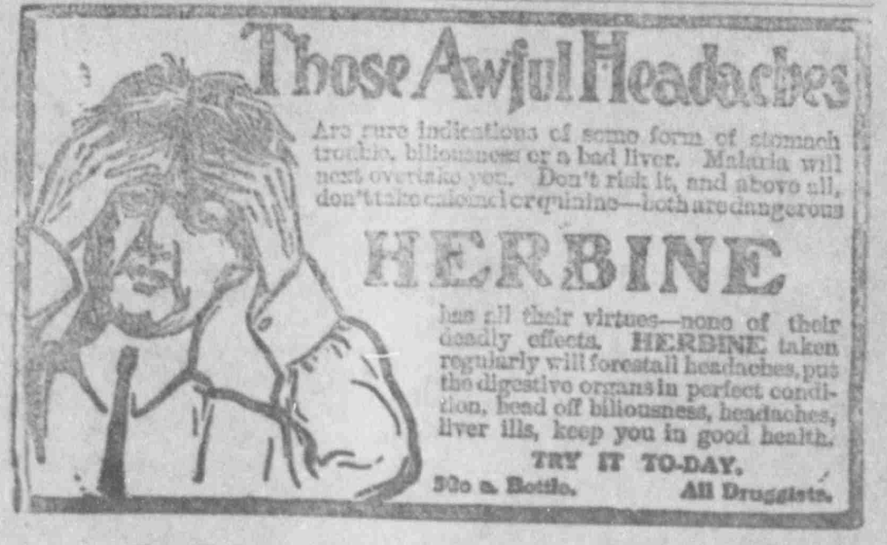
Discretion.

Mrs. Younghusband—Why can't you stay at home this evening, George? Your employer can get along without you. George—I know it, but I don't want him to find it out.

Knows Everything.

Mayme—What a gossip Mrs. Gadby is! Edith—Yes, indeed. I never tell her anything without finding out that she has already told it herself.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

It is astonishing how much time some people have to spare for the supervision of other people's business and how well they do it—in their minds.—Binghamton Press.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THE NEWS FROM WACAHOOTA.

Free Mail Delivery Will be Established. An Enjoyable Dance.

Wacahoota, Jan. 20.—It seems to be pretty hard for the truckers at this point to decide as to which has been the most destructive to their cabbage crops, the recent cold snaps or the rabbits.

Rev. Diggers, the pastor of the Methodist church at Williston, preached his first sermon here last Sunday.

There was a social hop at the residence of Mr. Smith's last Friday night that was highly enjoyed by the young people. After listening to some exquisite music rendered by J. W. May and William Bradley on the violin and accompaniment by Mrs. May and Miss Florence Bradley on the guitar and piano, they all went into the ball room, where the mystic waltz and other dances were greatly enjoyed until 12 o'clock, when the big cake was cut and served with wine, after which the guests all departed, all having spent a most enjoyable time.

Harry Robinson, one of the most energetic as well as one of the most influential men of this section, is now working up a free mail delivery, commencing at Archer and taking in the St. Joseph section and from there to Central, then by Wacahoota. As Mr. Robinson knows no such thing as failure it is expected by the many citizens of this section that the establishment of the route is certain. Mr. Robinson also proposes to go to Washington at once in order to push the matter through with the postal department.

F. M. Ramsey has been very busy for the last two days killing a nice lot of pork, and when asked what he was going to do with so much pork, his answer was that he was going to quit staying by himself.

Will Strickland, one of the most popular young men of Grandin, spent a few days here this week with his many friends.

J. H. Sikes, the acting agent for the Gainesville and Gulf Railroad and express company, also postmaster at this place, made a pleasant trip to Archer last Sunday, and, judging by his pleasant smile, it is to be supposed that business is prospering with him.

Sentiment Against Child Labor.

New York, Jan. 20.—Secretary Lindsay of the child labor bill, has returned from a three weeks' trip to the west, where he went to confer with those interested in child labor. He reports having found everywhere a sentiment crystalizing against child labor, and a determination on the part of all political parties for remedial legislation. Abundant evidence was found, he said, of the employment of children of 11, 12 and 13 years of age, under the most distressing circumstances in nearly every community visited.

Sickening Shivering Fits

Of ague and malaria can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to quinine, having none of this drug's bad after effects. E. S. Mundy of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malaria fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At all druggists. Price 50c, guaranteed.

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For a few days only. Room 30 and hotel parlors, Brown House. Examination and consultation free. Office hours from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

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Bicycles repaired and all kinds of material furnished for bicycles, electric lights, bells and telephones.

Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

It used to be considered that only urinary and bladder troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all diseases have their beginning in the disorder of these most important organs.

The kidneys filter and purify the blood—that is their work.

Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root,** the great kidney remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Home of Swamp-Root.

HUNTERS HAVE GONE.

After Several Days Exciting Work Left Kanapaha Thursday.

After three or four days' successful and exciting sport, the Atlanta-Gainesville hunting party who have been making Kanapaha their headquarters, has broken up.

This was probably the most successful hunting party ever formed in this section, as far as fox chasing was concerned. The party brought from Georgia sixty full-blooded hounds, which, with the fifteen furnished by Sheriff Fennell, numbered seventy-five. During the two nights the party went "loaded for fox" and eight fine animals were captured alive. They were brought to this city, and Friday morning Dr. J. B. S. Holmes took them to his country home at Lake Park, Ga., where he proposes to release them for another chase.

The Georgia gentlemen, who have not been as a rule accustomed to such sport, enjoyed themselves greatly, and have expressed a determination to return at the first opportunity.

Miss Burkhim's Party.

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Burkhim, Miss Ida Burkhim entertained a number of her lady friends at progressive whist Thursday afternoon. There were eight tables, and the ladies displayed remarkable skill at the game. The first prize, a handsome vase, was won by Mrs. J. N. Strobhar, while Mrs. Joseph A. Ettel was awarded the consolation, being a unique figure of a little darkey seated upon a bale of cotton.

The home was handsomely decorated in rosebuds and palms, which made a very pretty effect.

Delicious refreshments, comprising salads, ice cream, etc., were served, and Miss Burkhim's guests departed voting her one of the cleverest entertainers of the young set.

Justice Colman's Court.

John Williams was arraigned before Justice Colman Friday upon a charge of larceny, and was assessed a fine of $40 and costs or three months in the county "gang." Not having the wherewith to pay the fine, he will be taken to McDonald's camp at Fairbanks today.

Cured Lumbago.

A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former soldiers." 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Notice.

Strayed or stolen, one small black mare about six years old. Branded "Z" on shoulder. A liberal reward will be given anyone returning her or for any information of her whereabouts. J. J. Leitner, Geiger, Fla.

The family medicine in thousands of homes for 32 years—Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup.

A NEW CORPORATION.

Gainesville Gas & Electric Power Co. Gets Down to Business.

As will be noted from the articles of incorporation which appeared in The Sun Friday, the Gainesville Gas and Electric Power Company have decided to form a corporation.

The capital stock of this company will be one hundred thousand dollars, which is divided in one thousand shares at $100 each. The stockholders are Charles W. Morse, Jeremiah Cashman and John Cashman of Haverhill, Mass., and George I. Doig of this city.

The first regular meeting of the corporation will be held on March 25th of the present year, at which time officers will be elected. In the meantime Chas. W. Morse will act as president, George I. Doig as vice-president and John Cashman as secretary and treasurer.

The plant of the Gainesville Gas and Electric Power Company, which has been in operation for more than a year, is one of the finest in the South. The service is up-to-date in every way, supplying both a day and night power, and under the management of Mr. Doig has proved a remarkable success. It is rumored that improvements in the way of extension of service will be made in the near future.

Pleasant and Most Effective.

T. J. Chambers, Editor Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasantest remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Obeyed Orders Strictly.

The sentinels at Pompeii who died at their posts during the eruption because they had received no orders to leave them are held up as types of perfect obedience, but then the punishments in the Roman army were brutal, and they knew it. Different was the case of an individual who, being ordered to take a hot bath by his doctor, complied with the order and remained in it until the learned man paid his next visit. The doctor exclaimed when he heard, "Why, it is enough to kill you by parboiling or chill!" "It was all your fault," said the bather sulkily. "You only told me to get into a hot bath. You ought to have told me when to get out as well."

Take Care Of Your Heart.

It is the engine that forces the blood to every part of the body; this blood conveys the nourishment that makes flesh, bone and muscle; it also carries off the worn-out particles.

If the heart flutters or palpitates, it is weak, and is working imperfectly, so that the body does not get this nourishment; it also fails to throw off the impurities, and they remain to poison the system.

If it is irregular, skips beats, or is painful, the heart is probably "leaky" and the circulation poor. These conditions are dangerous. You can make your heart well, and keep it so, with Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, which is a heart medicine and tonic that strengthens the heart nerves and muscles.

"I have been a sufferer for years from nervousness and weak heart, and I have tried all the doctors in the community. They all told me that I had heart trouble, but they failed to help me. My druggist prevailed upon me to try Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, and Restorative Nervine, saying that if the first bottle did not benefit me he would return the money. Every dose helped me from the time I began taking it, and after awhile my trouble was gone entirely."
BURDETTE DeKAY, Cuba, N. Y.

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YOUNG WIFEHOOD

BOSTON, MASS., 152 Shawmut Ave., Oct. 25, 1902.

After I had been married about four months I felt my health generally decline. I seemed to lose the light step and dragged wearily along instead. My appetite failed me and I lost health and strength. I was nervous and had shooting pains through my limbs and stomach while bearing down pains and constant headaches added to my misery. The menstrual flow became more and more profuse and I was unfit to attend to my daily duties. My husband called in three different physicians and I took enough medicine to kill or cure a dozen women, but it all had no effect on me whatever, until I took Wine of Cardui. In a few days I felt a change for the better, my general health improved and at the next time of my periods my flow was more natural and I was in less pain. Gradually I recovered my health and strength and am now in perfect health. I take an occasional dose of Wine of Cardui which keeps me well.

I am happy to give you this endorsement. Bertha Ricker

President, Back Bay Woman's Club.

Why don't you try for the same health Mrs. Ricker has? It is easy to secure if you take Wine of Cardui according to directions. Wine of Cardui strengthens weak and worn-out women of any age and assists the mother and housewife to bear her exacting duties. Wine of Cardui makes women fit for all the duties of womanhood.

It will relieve the pains of irregularity, cures falling of the womb, leucorrhœa, ovarian troubles, and has been known to remove what physicians considered dangerous tumors. Women who use Wine of Cardui do not suffer at the monthly periods. They do not suffer hysterical attacks, because Wine of Cardui gives them strong nerves freed from the irritation of female suffering.

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You can't buy experience on credit.

When people can, but will not, who is to blame?

Trees transplanted at night are more likely to live than those transplanted in daytime.

The Belgians are the greatest potato-eaters in the world, and the Irish come second.

Sit down in disgruntled idleness and the world is a hovel. Get up and sing and work and you will find it a palace.

The coining of the longest word in our language is credited to Mr. Gladstone. It is "disestablishmentarianism."

Of about thirty recognized coaling stations in the Pacific, Great Britain owns at least twelve and the United States six.

The total vote this year showed a decrease of 460,078 from the vote of 1900. How we have grown in one way and another!

A Norwegian chemist predicts that the time will come when more alcohol will be made from sawdust than from potatoes.

This world would be far more dismal than it is if the public found out about it every time anybody made a fool of himself.

We have seen some pretty girls who were both pretty and ignorant, but as a rule they were never ignorant that they were pretty.

Most people who are well-to-do got so by small savings. The best way to secure the savings, perhaps, is to watch and prevent the small losses.

The dense fogs which have been prevailing in London cost from $150,000 to $250,000 per day. A large proportion of this sum is spent upon gas and electricity.

Suppose that everyone was called upon for proof of every statement that was made reflecting upon the character of other people, it would put the gossips out of business.

And now the farmer is having an electric bell placed in connection with his rural mail box where the box is located some distance from the house, the mail carrier ringing the bell when he delivers the mail.

The area of the United States exclusive of Alaska and insular possessions, is 3,000,000 square miles. Census returns give 550,000 square miles of this as improved farm land. An interesting illustration lies in assuming a segragation of the principal farm products within specific areas of familiar boundary.

It seems strange to us today to recall the time, and only a very few years ago at that, when corn in some of the Western States was a serious competitor of coal as fuel. When corn is only worth ten cents a bushel and soft coal is five dollars a ton it is economy to burn the corn, and many did it in those years.

ONLY HOPE IN DEMOCRACY.

If evidence was lacking that Democrats have an abiding faith in their party and its principles, it was supplied by the spirit which dominated the great gathering in Lafayette, Ind., a few days ago. What is true of the feeling there is true of the party membership everywhere. The result in November, while deplored, has not stifled the voice of the people nor blunted the conscience which, when thoroughly aroused, will bring about a better order of things. The Democratic party's opportunity is found to come and to come soon, and it must be prepared to grasp it.

The sincere well-wishers of the President hope that he will be able to accomplish some of the things that have been promised in his name. The party of which he is the representative is in full control of the government. It has in its hands all the machinery necessary to accomplish any end. The Republican majority in both branches of Congress is large. The executive and administrative departments of the government are in Republican hands.

The prosecution of public land thieves is said to have caused a flutter among the "cattle kings" who, without any authority, have used the government's unsold domain as if they owned it. Millions of acres were fenced in by them and settlers are kept out by intimidation. One of the "kings" is reported to have built a fence seven miles long on government land in Nebraska. President Roosevelt ordered all illegal fences removed. This was about two years ago, but only a pretense of obeying the order was made by the cattle men. Afterward there was an investigation into the charges that the barons were using soldiers, widows, employes, straw men, cowboys and relatives in acquiring immense tracts of public land, but the investigation was not finished. It is said that powerful political influence prevented further inquiry. On its face it must be apparent that such methods of getting posession of the land are fraudulent and it must be equally clear that the government should reclaim its property.

Upon the Republican party must rest the blame for all failures to relieve the people from the exactions of the trusts, the railroads and the unjustly favored tariff beneficiaries. An honest consideration of the country's good would seem to guarantee proper legislation and its speedy enforcement. But what do we see? Instead of decreasing the burden of taxation it is proposed to take from the treasury immense sums of money and bestow them upon the ship-owners in the form of subsidies. Instead of effective action against the trusts there are delays and still delays—as in the case of the packers' combine. Instead of taking immediate steps to reform outrageous tariff schedules we have White House conferences which are nullified by the attitude of Congress. The one who hopes in the Republican party is certainly a man of much faith in the faithless. It is to the Democratic party that the country must look in the end, and it is beginning to look that way now.

Uncle Sam has stepped in to spoil one of the newest developments in advertising. It seems that farmers at Ventura, Cal., got into the habit of decorating the mail boxes on the rural delivery routes with signs like "Prime suckling pigs for sale!" "Cheap bean straw for cows," etc. The government finally decided that even if it does not own them, it could not afford to allow mail boxes to be used for bill boards. Notice has been served that advertisements on mail boxes will be treated like any other defacement of government property.—Pacific Coast Advertising.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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DON'T NEGLECT A COLD.

Neglected Colds Lead to Consumption.

How Pretty Miss Powell Was Restored to Health by Pe-ru-na.

Miss Lillian Powell, Aurora, Ind., writes:

"Last spring I caught a severe cold from getting my feet wet and being out in the rain, and in a day I had a most miserable cold, but I neglected it, thinking it would soon leave me. But it hung to me for two weeks, when I felt something must be done, as my condition was serious.

"I had heard so much about Peruna and in its praise that I bought a bottle and began taking it regularly. I was gratified to find that in a week the cold and cough was broken up, and three weeks' treatment completely restored my usual good health."—Lillian Powell.

How Consumption Develops.

Nine cases of consumption out of ten occur in this way:

A person catches cold. The cold is not properly cured, and another cold is caught.

This cold is dilly-dallied with, either by no treatment whatever or some treatment that is ineffectual, and the cold continues.

Then another cold is caught and a cough develops. Cough syrups are resorted to, but they give only temporary relief.

By and by the patient gets tired of taking medicines and cough syrups and gives up in despair.

The cold continues to develop and the cough grows worse.

Then the doctor is called in, only to discover that the patient is in the first stages of consumption.

It was just in this way that Miss Powell, of Aurora, Ind., became sick. She caught a cold, and not considering it serious, neglected it, thinking as many others do, that it would "wear off."

However, it clung to her tenaciously, and in two weeks she found her health in a serious condition.

Fortunately, Peruna had been brought to her notice, and she took a course of this remedy before it was too late.

In a week the cough and cold were broken, and a three weeks' treatment completely restored her to health.

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Cure the Slight Colds and Avoid Consumption.

The first step toward consumption is a cold. The next step is a failure to cure it promptly. The third step is the development of catarrh, which gradually becomes chronic. The fourth step, the catarrh begins to spread from the head to the throat, then to the bronchial tubes, and finally into the lungs. It is then consumption in the first stage.

At any time during the progress of catarrh, from the first onset of the cold to its final settlement in the lungs, Peruna can be relied upon to stop the disease. If you have taken a cold, buy Peruna without delay. One bottle in the beginning will do more good than a half dozen bottles after the catarrh has fastened itself on the lungs.

Thousands of Testimonials.

We have on file thousands of testimonials from people who have been cured of catarrh of the lungs by Peruna. We can give our readers only a slight glimpse of the vast array of unsolicited endorsements we are receiving every month. No other physician in the world has received such a volume of enthusiastic letters of thanks as Dr. Hartman for Peruna.

Ask Your Druggist for a Free Peruna Almanac for 1905

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THE GUARANTEED WORM REMEDY

THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.

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PHOSPHATE INDUSTRY TO BE EXTENDED

Immense Deposits Lie in the Extreme West Alachua County.

WILL SOON BE OPENED

Extension of the J. & S.-W. Means a Great Deal Towards Increasing Output—Prospectors Declare That Immense Beds Have Been Discovered.

"The phosphate industry, which is already one of the greatest in this county, is going to be considerably extended—perhaps doubled—by the opening of the new country by the extension of the Southwestern Railroad," remarked a gentleman who is thoroughly posted on phosphate, and in a position to know what he is talking about, Friday.

This gentleman stated that the country traversed by this extension had been prospected, and was rich in phosphate, large deposits having been discovered throughout the section as far west as the Suwannee River. The only reason that the property has not been mined has been on account of the inadequate facilities for moving the product. There is no doubt now but that the land, which is owned principally by large corporations, will be opened and worked, which will mean possibly the doubling of the output within the next two years.

Aside from the phosphate industry which it is anticipated this extension will open up, there are hundreds of thousands of acres of the finest pine timber in the South, which means that naval stores plants and saw mills will be established. There are also innumerable acres or the finest hard wood, which will afford another industry, since hard wood is now in great demand. In all, the prospects for the West End were never brighter, and the good people of that section have a right for rejoicing.

The work of grading on the extension, which will run from Newberry to Deadman's Bay, a distance of about eighty miles, is progressing rapidly, several "gangs" being employed in the work. It is estimated that the road will be completed to the Gulf terminus within twelve months.

MEW EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Material Now Being Delivered—McCarroll Stone Will be Employed.

Material for the proposed new Episcopal church is being daily delivered upon the grounds. Three carloads of fine Georgia brick have already been received, and more are expected daily. In all, thirty-three thousand brick will be employed in the basework of the building.

It was stated some time ago that the building committee, who originally decided upon the McCarroll stone, had agreed not to use this material, but to make the building of pressed brick. It seems that this was an error, as the committee has never thought of using anything else, and McCarroll stone will be employed in its construction.

This stone, which is a composition and said to very durable, is an exact imitation of granite, and will make a handsome building.

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BROWN HOUSE EXTENSION.

Eight Rooms Have Been Added to This Hostelry and Neatly Furnished.

With a desire to meet the demand for winter business, J. W. Ettel & Son, the clever and obliging proprietors of the Brown House, have just completed the annex, or addition, which comprises eight rooms over the First National Bank, immediately south and adjoining the main building. These rooms have been neatly papered, thoroughly renovated, and furnished elegantly, and there can in future be no complaint at the inability of those who desire hotel accommodations to secure them.

Owing to the influx of travel, largely attracted by the session of the Bible Conference and Chautauqua here last winter, there were a few weeks when this popular hostelry was overtaxed, and it was difficult to secure accommodations. This matter has been remedied now, however, and the Brown House is equipped with seventy as nicely furnished and as comfortable rooms as can be found anywhere in the State in a hotel of the same class.

Messrs. Ettel & Son have made wonderful improvements in the Brown House since assuming charge of the place. They have spent hundreds of dollars in refitting and remodeling the house, with the result that they now have one of the neatest and cosiest public resorts in the country, and they justly deserve the patronage which is being extended to them. The traveling men, who a few years ago dreaded the idea of remaining over Sunday in Gainesville on account of the hotel accommodations, are now glad to be here, and in many instances make big "jumps" in order to stop here for the Sabbath, where they declare they get plenty of good things to eat and a comfortable room.

The house is now under the management of Joseph A. Ettle, with Day Clerk Hertel as his assistant. They are making themselves popular with the traveling public.

TO COST A MILLION DOLLARS.

Electric Railway Between Asheville and Mining Districts.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 20.—Within the next 30 days contracts will be let for the first electric freight railway in the south, which is to be built out of Asheville into the mining districts of Madison and Yancey counties, North Carolina, by the George D. Miles company, the president of which company is now in Asheville completing details for the letting of the contracts. Major Miles, when speaking of the proposed road, said:

"Our road will cost a million dollars. We are going to equip it with a $60,000 electric locomotive and hope to have the work of construction started within the next 30 days."

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D., Of Waverley, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough, and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25, 50c and $1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Boys Imitate Father's Action.

Columbus, Ga., Jan. 20.—Information has reached the city to the effect that several boys at Fort Gaines, Ga., with the view of imitating the farmers who burned some cotton on the streets of that town a short time ago, secured matches last night and set fire to a cotton warehouse. The fire burned rapidly, and 11 bales of cotton were consumed before it was gotten under control. One residence caught fire from sparks, but the flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

Fruit and Flowers Killed.

New York, Jan. 20.—Dispatches to the Herald from Paris say the damage done on the Riviera in the recent cold snap was widespread. Flowers suffered and fruit was injured, perhaps destroyed. Ruin extends all over the Italian Riviera and the French literal. The beautiful Garden of Nice and its neighborhood are now nearly barren. It is impossible to estimate the loss. Florists in Cannes say it will be at least $500,000.

Spoiled Her Beauty.

Harriet Howard of 209 W. 35th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had salt rheum, or eczema, for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. Twenty-five cents at all druggists.

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General Bristow Retires.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow will retire from office at the close of business hours today. He expects to receive instructions today or tomorrow from Secretary Taft preliminary to taking up his new duties as special commissioner to investigate rate conditions, etc., in connection with the Panama railroad and steamship company. Chief Clerk Conrard is in charge of the bureau and has performed most of the duties of that office since the recent removal of the corps of inspectors from the fourth assistant's office to that of postmaster general.

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Beauty Doctors Endorse Herpicide.

Women who make a business of beautifying other women come pretty near knowing what will bring about the best results. Here are letters from two, concerning Herpicide:

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GOES ON DANGEROUS MISSION.

Brother of Murdered Man Seeks to Arrest Important Witness.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 20.—Thomas Cockrill, the surviving leader of the Cockrill faction of Breathitt county, and brother of James Cockrill, for whose murder Curtis Jett is under death sentence, and William Britton is now on trial here, left for the feud-ridden community late Wednesday on a dangerous mission. He will be sworn in as special bailiff to go to the interior of Breathitt county and arrest an important witness for the state, who has ignored summons, and is said to be guarded by friends.

Cockrill tried to get friends here to accompany him, and failing, announced that he would undertake the mission single-handed and either bring the witness to Lexington or die in the attempt.

NEGROES SHOOT REGULATORS.

Alleged They Intended to Whip One of the Negroes.

Shreveport, La., Jan. 20.—Posses are searching the woods near Mira, in this parish, for a negro named John Bird, and an unknown companion, who shot and fatally wounded Ellwood McKelvey and seriously wounded Norman Marten, white farmers, who, it is alleged, constituted a part of a band of regulators who visited Bird's house for th epurpose of whipping him.

When the men knocked at the negro's door it was opened and two shotguns were thrust into their faces and fired. Both of McKelvel's eyes were shot out, and he was left where he fell for three hours, his companions being afraid to venture within range of the cabin again.

The negroes made good their escape.

Dead Body Found In Woods.

Barnesville, Ga., Jan. 20—Ernest Williamson, who has been missing from his home since last Wednesday, was found today in a wood near what is known as Robin Roost, about 3 miles from the city, dead, with a bullet hole in his head and a pistol in his hand. A note was found on his person, addressed to his brother, George Williamson, stating that ill health was the cause of the deed. He was about 22 years old and leaves several sisters and brothers.

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TERRORIZED BY BLACK HAND.

Italian Tradesmen Threatened—Police Arrest Seven Men.

New York, Jan. 20.—Seven alleged members of a Black Hand band who, for months has been terrorizing Italian tradesmen and merchants of Williamsburg, have been arrested by Brooklyn detectives after two desperate fights with knives.

Several officers were injured.

A net has been closed around the band for some weeks. Nearly all the numerous letters threatening merchants with destruction of property or death unless money were forthcoming are said to have been traced to the men just captured. Part of them were taken in a saloon, the others in a flat building. Their leader was found to be a powerful man, speaking excellent English. He is said to have left a criminal record in this city.

Printer Arrested for Forgery.

St. Louis, Jan. 20.—Otto Schrowang, a printer, has been arrested on the charge of J. H. Norton, manager of the St. Louis Joint Validating agency, that Schrowang had furnished bogus validating pasters and plates to ticket brokers. Schrowang is held on a warrant charging forgery. Norton charges that during the last few months, including the entire world's fair season, Schrowang's operations have contributed to a loss of between $50,000 and $100,000 to the different railroad entering St. Louis.

Street Car Employes Strike.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Jan. 20.—After a five hours' session lasting until early today, the motormen and conductors in the employ of the Wilkesbarre and Wyoming Valley Traction company, which comprises almost all of the entire electric system of the Wyoming Valley, voted to go on a strike and endeavor to enforce their demands against the company. An increase in wages is asked. No date is set for the beginning of the strike.

A Grim Tragedy

Is daily enacted in thousands of homes, as death claims, in each one, another victim of consumption or pneumonia. But when coughs and colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One nose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and $1,00 by all druggists. Trial bottles free.

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"The pygmies of Africa," says Dr. Geil, the traveler, "are the most dangerous savages I ever met. They are quick, very warlike, and the women fight as hard as the men. They are experts in poisons, which they use to advantage against their enemies. I think there has been some confusion in the past between pygmies and dwarfs. The latter are found for the most part in the 'little forest' and on the outer edge of the 'great forest,' whereas the pygmies are well within the 'great forest.' Pygmies and dwarfs are distinct in physiognomy.

"Entering the 'great forest' from the south end of the mountains of the Moon, after crossing the Semliki grass lands, I came across the pygmies in about three days' journey. It is a curious fact that the pygmies pitch their camps within about half a day's journey of the big savages—the giant savages, as they are called. Although I had to sleep fully armed, I was never attacked.

"It has been my invariable rule to treat natives as gentlemen. I find that the greatest savage appreciates kindness and consideration. In my journey through the forest I used compasses to guide me. The pygmies can find their way by simply looking at the trees. They are a wonderful race, active and intelligent."

The Name's the Thing.

"This madness for names," complained the buyer of foreign lingerie, "is likely to drive me out of my wits. It's a weakness of the American people, this insanity for names! They want to know what you call a thing before they will dream of liking it. If the name attracts them, well and good. If not, they are prejudiced against it. I'm in almost as much trouble as Mother Eve, who had everything to name. I think and think, and after the simple, charming names have been exhausted my troubles begin. Consider the responsibility! A bit of underwear, for example, may take like wildfire if it is christened the Violet. Name it something less lovely and it may be a frost. In vain have I besought the French designers to name the choice bits they have conceived. But, no; they will only shrug their shoulders and say, 'Pourquoi?' If a thing be novel, beautiful or fascinating, they think that is enough. And they are right. But, alas, I cannot impress this upon their patrons. They suspect the merit of a garment if it has no name. Some enterprising person could certainly make a living by offering a choice assortment of names to a long suffering public."—Philadelphia Record.

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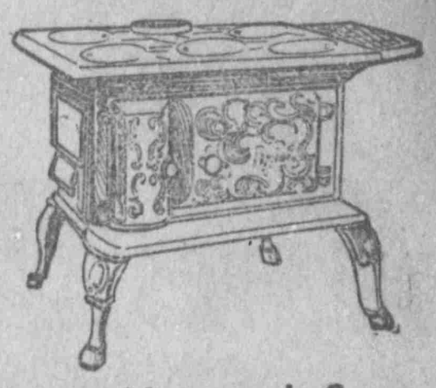

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Lv P M	Lv P M	Lv A M		Ar. P M	Ar A M	Ar P M
7 45	.....	.....	.....Fairfield.....	.....	.....	6 00
7 55	.....	.....	.....Irvine.....	.....	.....	5 50
8 00	.....	.....	.....Dungarvan	.....	.....	6 45
8 05	.....	.....	.....Southside.....	.....	.....	5 40
8 10	.....	.....	.....Hickman.....	.....	.....	5 35
8 15	.....	.....	.....Lake Simonton.....	.....	.....	5 30
8 20	.....	.....	.....Micanopy	.....	.....	5 20
8 38	.....	.....	.....Tacoma.....	.....	.....	5 12
8 45	.....	.....	.....Kirkwood.....	.....	.....	5 05
8 50	.....	.....	.....Clyatt.....	.....	.....	5 00
8 55	.....	.....	.....Flewellen.....	.....	.....	4 55
9 03	.....	.....	.....Waccahoota.....	.....	.....	4 45
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12 40	7 15 Ar	7 28	.....Sampson City.....	8 20	8 40	1 30
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NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

The worst snowstorm of the winter has prevailed in northern Vermont for 24 hours.

The tank steamer Philadelphia laden with oil has grounded on the west coast of France. She is in a bad position, and her cargo is sacrificed for the purpose of saving the ship.

Michael Lombard, foreman, and Patrick Ceffe, laborer, were badly injured by a premature explosion of dynamite at Millstone quarry at Worcester, N. Y. Ceffe's condition is dangerous.

A joint session of the Minnesota legislature was held today at which the vote taken yesterday for Moses E. Clapp to be junior United States senator from Minnesota to succeed himself, was confirmed.

At the annual meeting of the Association of American Advertisers held in New York, V. M. Pierce, of Buffalo, has been elected president. A general discussion of the association work occupied most of the session.

President Charles W. Elliott, of Harvard university, and Mrs. Elliott sailed for Europe on the steamer Blucher. Another passenger on the Blucher was Mrs. Robert S. McCormick, wife of the American ambassador to Russia.

The official trial trip of the new armored cruiser Maryland over the Cape Ann course, has been ordered for Wednesday, Jan. 25. The Maryland is required by her contract to make an average speed of 22 knots for four consecutive hours.

There is no truth in the report published in the London Daily Telegraph today in a dispatch from Copenhagen to the effect that King Oscar, of Sweden and Norway, is dangerously ill with facial paralysis. The king is enjoying perfect health.

Three workmen were injured at Burlington, Vt., by the fall of an elevator used in conveying material at the medical college of the University of Vermont, being erected there. John G. Goulette and B. Dominick may not recover. The elevator dropped 60 feet.

Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany, was thrown off a dog cart on Charlotten strasse today but was not hurt. The accident was due to the fact that he horse fell. As soon as the animal was reharnessed the crown prince mounted and drove off.

Max Levy was adjudged guilty of two counts of attempted bribery on was sentenced to serve six months in the house of correction at New Bedford, Mass., on each complaint. Levy was accused of hiring voters at $5 each to work in the interest of his candidate in the recent city election. Levy appealed.

Argentine Vineyards.

Wonderful yields of grapes are produced in some Argentine vineyards. "In one vineyard, covering five or six acres, a small tram road ran up the middle," writes a traveler. "I asked what that was for, and when told that it was to bring the grapes to the wine press I wondered why they were not carried in baskets. When I learned that off these five or six acres eighty tons of grapes are gathered each year I ceased to think of the tramway, and my wonder was turned to the marvel of the earth's productiveness. Eighty tons were the average yield, after house servants, farm and garden servants and peons who drive troops of mules up and down the mountains with ores from the mines had eaten their fill, and the house dogs and the dogs of the servants and peons and also a vast number of the little silver gray foxes which crowded in yearly from all corners of the desert during the grape season and birds that came from all places. There was enough and plenty for all of these and then eighty tons besides."

A Curious Legend.

Easby abbey, the ruins of which lie close to the river Swale, a short distance from Richmond, in Yorkshire, England, is the home of a curious legend, says Photography. One of the main walls of the building is cracked and toppling, but has not yet fallen to the ground. Nor do the natives expect it to do so, at least not until it receives the impulse which it is said to await. For a tradition relates that the wall, when it does fall, will bury in its ruins a newly married couple, and as the tale is well known the chance of a honeymooning pair resting beneath its shade is remote.

Justified.

City Editor—Why do you say he ran into the police station "puffing and blowing?" "Puffing" and "blowing" are synonymous. Reporter—Not at all. There's a vast difference—for instance, between puffing a man up and blowing him up.—Philadelphia Ledger.

His Matches.

"You told me this horse had won half a dozen matches against some of the best horses in the country. He can't trot a mile in six minutes to save him."

"It was in plowing matches that he took the prizes, sir."

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..	Beresford (DeLand)	1:00 pm
Arrive 8:30 am	Sanford	9:50 am
10:00 am	Enterprise	10:00 am

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Insure with Cushman & Hill.

Western and Florida meats today. J. G. Harrold.

Simonson's Wonderful Salve for sale by J. W. McCollum & Co.

P. G. Ramsey of Wacahoota was trading in the city yesterday.

Cane seed—25,000 for sale. J. N. Bone, Gainesville, Fla. 2w-daw

Dr. T. F. Thomas made a brief business trip to Jacksonville yesterday.

A few good second-hand organs from $20.00 up to $50.00. Harper & Chase.

Evans Haile made a brief professional visit to Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Ethel Holloway made a brief visit to friends at Rochelle yesterday.

Perry M. Colson has returned from the West End, where he has been on business.

You can get all the finest varieties of pecan trees of H. S. Graves, Gainesville. d2w1

For Sale—Drug store and practice established eighteen years. Address Sun office. 9t

Wanted—To rent a good upright piano for several months. Address, with terms, P. O. Box N., Gainesville, Fla.

One Mason & Hamlin chapel organ, used only a short time; cost $125.00—good as new—will sell for $60.00. Harper & Chase.

J. K. Tuten of Archer, a merchant of that progressive town who enjoys a good trade, was among the visitors to this city yesterday.

Everything to make a nice dinner, supper or breakfast complete at McKinstry's. Don't forget this when ordering today. Phone 188.

Something nice in Western and Florida meats today. Try a nice Western roast and you will certainly have a fine dish. J. G. Harrold.

J. S. Griner of Brooklyn, Bradford county, is in the city on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Witherspoon. Mr. Griner is a prominent citizen of his county, being treasurer.

W. J. Matthews of Donnie and A. Morrison of Island Grove, two of The Sun's oldest friends and subscribers, are in the city. They made this office a pleasant call last night.

Denby's fancy frame lettuce, young spinach, new Irish potatoes, turnips, cabbage, cranberries, tangerines, oranges and everything else that is nice at McKinstry's today. Phone 188.

A. E. Summers of High Springs, James Chesnut of Alachua, Lucas Black of Hague and Homer Love of Trenton were among those who favored the county capital with a visit yesterday.

Attorneys Robert E. Davis and W. H. Palmer, Chief of Police Pinkoson and Postmaster Geo. J. Arnow have returned from Ocala, where they have been in attendance at the United States court

The employes of the composing rooms of The Sun desire to express to the ladies of Kirby Smith Chapter, U. D. C., their hearty appreciation for a tempting dish of choice viands which were presented last night.

Mrs. W. S. Terry of Shellman, Ga., is in the city, a guest of Mrs. L. J. Clyatt. Mrs. Clyatt's father, K. D. Smith of Umatilla, is also here. He is a prominent Mason, and has been to attend the Grand Lodge meeting at Jacksonville.

M. D. Bryan of Alachua, one of the progressive planters of that section, was among those who visited Gainesville yesterday. He states that the farmers have all made good crops, are happy and contented, and are preparing to plant largely next year.

Chas. S. Hill, the clever civil engineer in the employ of the Cummer Lumber Company, has returned from the West End, where he has been surveying for the past few days. Mr. Hill states that the people of that section are happy and prosperous, and everybody seems to have money.

W. M. Blitch of Santa Fe, one of the most prominent citizens and successful planters of the county, was trading in the city yesterday. He states that his section of the county is now on a big boom. The mill and naval stores interests are at their best, employing large numbers of men, with the result that trade with the merchants is good.

Insure with Cushman & Hill.

Mrs. George Bagaley of Palmer was shopping in the city yesterday.

One-half our office for rent to desirable party. Harper & Chase. 2t

How about a nice cut of Western or Florida meat? Call up Harrold and be satisfied. Phone 25.

Wanted—Cook for family of eight, out-of-town. Good salary paid. Address P. O. Box 307, or 107 North University St. 6t

One square Steinway Grand piano, fine tone, action perfect—almost good as new—cost $700.00, will sell for $125.00. Harper & Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harrold are rejoicing over the advent of a fine baby girl, which came to enlighten their home Thursday night. Friends extend congratulations.

C. V. McKinstry has the most elegant and complete line of fresh and crisp vegetables to be found in the city. He gets them fresh from the farm each morning.

After a business trip of two or three days to this city, S. H. Gaitskill returned to his home at McIntosh yesterday. Capt. Gaitskill is one of the most widely known and most progressive citizens of that section.

W. E. Crozier has returned from Otter Creek, where he has instituted a lodge of the Modern Workmen of the World, of which he is State organizer. The lodge has a membership of twenty-eight, and starts out with bright prospects.

C. K. Keats of Nashville, representing the Kernker-Waalwere Cracker and Candy Company, is among the new arrivals at the Brown House. Mr. Keats has been traveling in the North for the past few years, and this is his first visit to Florida. He is delighted with the climate and people, and says he is glad for the change.

Williams & Rogers, two ambitious young men of this city who are desirous of establishing themselves in business here, will open today a candy store in the Cash Grocery Company's place. These young men will handle fine hand-made candies only, made fresh every day, and it is hoped their efforts will prove fruitful from a financial standpoint.

Work has begun on the home of Mrs. H. T. McCreary, which is being erected on West Main street, N., immediately south of the home of Mrs. Foster. The frame work has been completed, and the carpenters today expect to begin the weather-boarding. This will be a two-story structure of eight rooms and will be one of the most modern residences in the city when completed.

John H. Sparks' Old Reliable Virginia Shows arrived last night, and are located on the athletic field east of the chair factory. The usual crowd gathered to see the elephant walk down the plank from the car. The big lion, "Romeo" weighing 906 pounds, is truly the "king of beasts." Mr. Sparks is a gentleman and will no doubt give the people all he promises, says the Corry, Pa., Evening Journal, July 31, 1904. Will exhibit at Gainesville Saturday January 21.

The Sun is under special obligations to Henry Ramsey of North Gainesville for valuable assistance in certain matters recently. The city editor of this paper is obliged to depend upon friends of The Sun for information, and is grateful to those who are inclined te assist him. Upon this particular occasion Mr. Ramsey was thoughtful enough to give the "cue" from which the information was obtained and his thoughtfulness is appreciated.

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Ripley, Tenn., June 1, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis Mo.—Dear Sir: Having tried various remedies without satisfactory results, I was persuaded to give your "Texas Wonder" a trial. I have used one bottle, and although my case is one of long standing that baffled the skill of the best physician, yet it yielded at once to "The Texas Wonder," which I heartily recommend to all suffering from kidney and bladder troubles.

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Insure with Cushman & Hill.

Have Mr. B. H. Chase to put your piano in perfect condition. If not satisfactory absolutely no charge. Harper & Chase.

George W. Hyde, Marcus Endel, A. M. Cushman and W. B. Higdon have returned from Jacksonville, where they have been in attendance at the Grand Lodge of Masons. They report a good time.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Granger yesterday arrested William Daniels, who claims to be a detective and has his credentials from the American Detective Association, and who was wanted in Bradford for gambling and carrying concealed weapons, so the joke is on him. Sheriff Bennett came for his prisoner at noon, returning to Starke on the 2 o'clock train.

Dr. and Mrs. M. H. DePass and children, little Misses Louise and Maty; Mrs. C. D. Wood, son, Howard, and daughter, Miss Lucy, Miss Alien Powell, T. A. Hancock and F. S. Curl, all of Archer, were among those who paid the county capital a visit yesterday. Mrs. Wood and Dr. and Mrs. DePass came to see Dr. Alderman in regard to dental work for their children.

The pay car of the Atlantic Coast Line made its regular monthly visit to this city yesterday, enlivening the employes to the extent of "what was coming to them." The visit of the "band wagon" as the boys please to term it is a signal for temporary happiness—but when the bills are paid and the employes as a rule quit the game "busted," they settle down to the quietude of their natural lives and get to work, "the world forgetting and by the world forgot."

E. D. Stanford of North Carolina has arrived in the city, and is greeting old friends here. Mr. Stanford is in the employ of the general land office of the United States Government. He has visited this State for the past two or three years in the capacity of swamp land agent, making his headquarters here. He has now been transferred to this territory regularly as a special agent to Assistant Special Agent Paul, and will make this his home for an indefinite period. This will be pleasant news to a great many of his friends in this section.

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Joseph Harrell and son of Santa Fe, George Lyons of Micanopy, P. B. H. Dudley of Jonesville and H. A. Pickett of Newberry were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

E. H. Smith of Tioga was in the city yesterday. Mr. Smith has recently accepted the position as manager of the naval stores interests of the Cummer Lumber Company, vice J. A. Blakwell, resigned. He is said to be one of the most competent naval stores men in the State.

At the Advent Christian Church Sunday evening Rev. Joe Sherouse, the pastor, will reply to an article which appeared in the local press last week to the effect that "the brain is not the organ of thought," and that the "soul, not the brain, is the thinking principal in man." Mr. Sherouse's reply to the above will be given in the light of common sense, science and scripture, he believing that these three agree. The reply will be free from personal prejudice and will interest all who may come out to hear.

A Jolly Party.

A jolly camping party comprising Commodore R. W. Beall, Ex-Postmaster C. H. Beall, Dr. J. A. Batton and Isaac L. Batton of Uniontown, Pa., and Captain W. S. Crawn of Flatbrookville, N. J., who have been in this city for the past few days, departed yesterday for Palmer, where they will spend an indefinite period hunting and fishing.

These gentlemen, with the exception of Captain Crawn, have been regular winter visitors to this city and section for several years. They are friends of Dr. H. Herzog, Jr., and the meeting annually is a pleasant one.

The father of Dr. Herzog, Dr. H. Herzog, Sr., is here from Philadelphia, but did not accompany the party. He expects to visit them frequently, however, as he is an enthusiastic sportsman.

Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the J. J. Finley Chapter, held January 19th, 1905, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. B. Taylor; First Vice-President, Mrs. J. W. Patton; Second Vice-President, Mrs. T. C. McEachen; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Kelley; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Goodwin; Registrar, Mrs. J. M. Rivers; Treasurer, Mrs. W. T. Chesnut.

At the Auditorium.

A fairly good crowd was present at the Auditorium of the Gainesville Graded and High School to witness the moving pictures of the Russo-Japanese War Friday night, which were presented under the direction of Charles Hammond Frye.

The pictures were realistic in effect, and were very interesting, especially to those who were well-read upon the situation.

Funeral of Mr. Wells.

The funeral of William Wells, the death of whom occurred Thursday evening, will be held from the residence of Mrs. Rachel Wells at 11 o'clock this morning, and the interment will be in Evergreen cemetery. Friends of the deceased and the family are invited.

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